

US ARMY GARRISON BAMBERG SPILL PREVENTION, CONTROL, AND CLEAN-UP PLAN

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THE RED PLAN

In the event of a spill of hazardous substances or hazardous waste at installation of the USAG Bamberg, this Red Plan serves as an immediate action tool to get the correct response initiated at the earliest time. The remainder of this SPCC Plan reinforces the Red Plan and provides in-depth information on spill prevention, response, notification, and cleanup procedures. The Red Plan is to be used in the early stage of a spill and the user is expected to transition to the remainder of the SPCC Plan after appropriate notifications and response actions are underway.

Initial Spill Responder Action List

If it's a minor spill, clean it up now.

A minor spill does not:

- exceed a reportable quantity
- enter or threaten waters, or
- pose a safety or environmental threat.

If it's not minor, do the following:

1. Report the Spill.

Call USAG Fire Department if on-post, or call German Fire Department if off-post

Report the following:

- Initial responder name and location.
- Time, location, type/quantity of spill.
- Need for emergency medical assistance.

2. Determine Safe Actions

No safe actions may be possible.

What is it, how can it hurt me, and what can I safely do?

Check MSDS for material spilled. Take safe, no-contact simple actions that may help victims, help threatened people, or stop or contain the spill.

3. Stop the Leak.

Don't contact or breathe vapor from material. Close valves, stop pumps, shut down power, move container.

4. Control and Contain.

Keep the spill from spreading.

Close containment valves.

Put portable containers down. Put absorbents down.

Emergency Response Team Action List

Follow the Spill Plan

- Notify authorities.
- Obtain personnel and equipment.
- Determine installation/unit information.

Determine Safe Actions

- Evaluate material, hazards, evacuation needs.
- Obtain/check MSDS for material spilled.
- Determine extent, migration, weather.
- Provide personal protective equipment.
- Determine safe approach and set up team.

Rescue and Evacuate

- Determine threatened areas and populations..
- Determine safe distances, safe refuge, evacuation routes.
- Activate evacuation personnel and provide for medical treatment needs.

Protect Humans and Animals

- Suppress airborne hazard-vapors, gas, dust.
- Notify affected workers, residents.
- Control access to the spill site and threatened areas.

Prevent, Control and Suppress Fire and Explosions.

- Access existing/potential fires or explosion hazards.
- Exercise caution with POLs and flammables.
- Control ignition sources and fuels.
- Properly handle fire water runoff.

Set Water and Environmental Protection Priorities.

- Protect drinking waster resources.
- Protect waste water treatment plants.
- Protect critical or sensitive ecological areas.

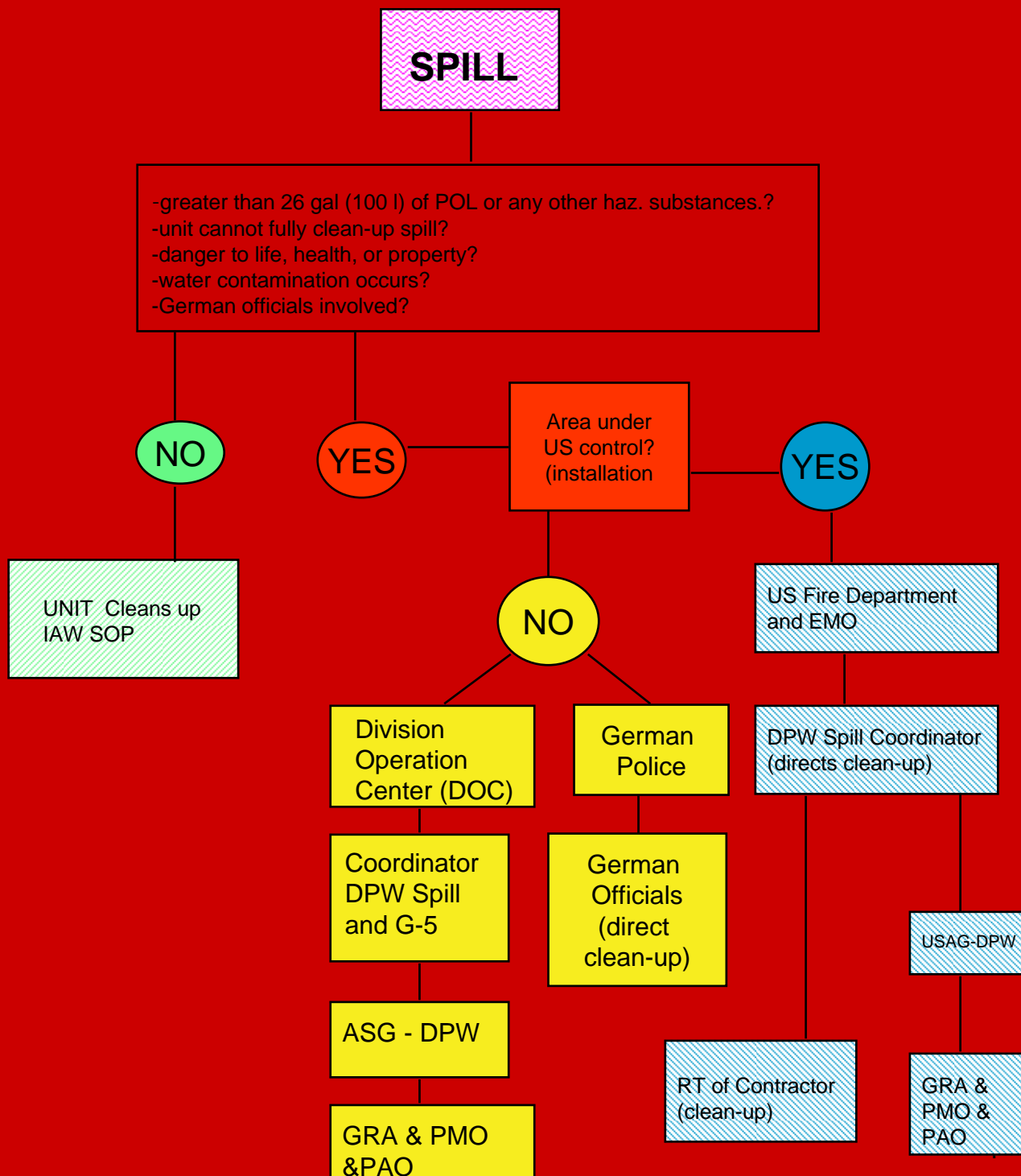
Prevent Material Spread.

- Stop or slow the release.
- Set up containment, diversions, and surface impoundments.
- Transfer material to safe storage.
- Keep spill from reaching sewers.

Address Non-critical Priorities.

- Recover the bodies of human and animal victims.
- Recover property and equipment in immediate danger.
- Prevent property and equipment damage.
- Dispose of spilled materials.

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POINTS OF CONTACT

Environmental Division		DSN 469-8849
DPW		DSN 469-1560
Fire Department		DSN 469-117
O & M Division		DSN 469-7743
Safety Office		DSN 469-1670
Public Affairs		DSN 469-1600
Law Center		
Claims		DSN 469-8411
Legal Assistance		DSN 469-8832
PMO		DSN 469-1580/8817
MP Station	Emergency	469-114
Local Police Station	Emergency	110
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Local Fire Station	Emergency	112
Local Ambulance	Emergency	19222
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